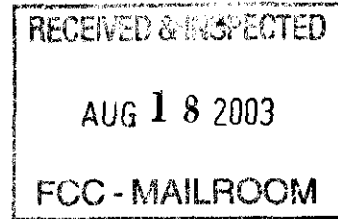


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Before the
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Washington, D. C. 20554



In the matter of)	
Amendment of Section 73.202 (b),)	MM Docket No. _____
Table of Allotments)	
FM Broadcast Stations)	RM- _____
(Port Norris, New Jersey))	

PETITION FOR RULEMAKING

To the Chief, Allocations Branch:

1. Dana J. Puopolo ("Petitioner") respectfully requests the Commission initiate a rulemaking proceeding for the purpose of considering amending Section 73.202(b) of the Commission's rules. In support whereof the following is stated:

2. Petitioner proposes the Commission allot FM channel 299A to Port Norris, New Jersey as its first commercial FM service. This would require amending Section 73.202(b) of the Commission's rules as follows:

<u>Community</u>	<u>Present</u>	<u>Proposed</u>
Port Norris, NJ	-	299A

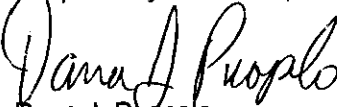
3. Port Norris is a Census Designated Place located in SW New Jersey. It is located in Cumberland County. In 2000, the United States Census Bureau estimated Port Norris had a population of 1507 persons.

4. FM channel 299A can be assigned to Port Norris in full compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements without a site restriction. This is illustrated in the attached spacing study. Coordinates used are: N 39:14:47, W 75:02:04. Petitioner is confident he can find a suitable transmitter site for this allotment if it is assigned as proposed.

5. Petitioner, or an entity with which he is affiliated, intends to apply for a construction permit to activate channel 299A if it is assigned to Port Norris as proposed. If his application is granted, he shall promptly construct and operate the proposed station.

6. Petitioner hereby verifies and affirms that the statements given in this petition for rulemaking are his, and are accurate to the best of his knowledge.

Respectfully submitted,


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Spacing study FM channel 299A, Port Norris, NJ
 at city reference coordinates of:
 N 39:14:47, W 75:02:04.

CHAN	FREQ	CALL	LOCATION		DIST	REQ	CLEAR	
296A	107.1	WTDK	FEDERALSBURG	MD US	81	31	50	
296A	107.1	WWZY	LONG BRANCH	NJ US	148	31	117	
296A	107.1	WWZY	LONG BRANCH	NJ US	154	31	123	
297B	107.3	WRQX	WASHINGTON	DC US	180	69	111	
297B1	107.3	WPUR	ATLANTIC CITY	NJ US	55	48	7	
297B	107.3	WRQX	WASHINGTON	DC US	180	69	111	
298B	107.5	WBLS	NEW YORK	NY US	189	113	76	
298B	107.5	WBYN	BOYERTOWN	PA US	139	113	26	
298B1	107.5	WKHI	FRUITLAND	MD US	129	96	33	
299B	107.7	WGTY	GETTYSBURG	PA US	178	178	0	
299B	107.7	WTOP-FM	WARRENTON	VA US	249	178	71	
299B	107.7	WSNJ-FM	BRIDGETON	NJ US	28	178	-150	see below
300B	107.9	WFSI	ANNAPOLIS	MD US	143	113	30	
300A	107.9	ALLOC	PENNSAUKEN	NJ US	84	72	12	see below

All distances are in kilometers.
 Only stations clearing by less than 125 Km are shown.

In MB docket 02-382, the Commission deleted channel 299B at Bridgeton, NJ and added channel 300A at Pennsauken, NJ. Docket 02-382 became effective 8/7/2003.

